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MAIN ST., BENNINGTON

#### Deepening the Hudson

The city of Albany is still actively engaged in furthering its old desire to have the national government deepen the channel of the Hudson river as far as Troy or to a point where it will form a junction with the state's barge canal. This is a project that ought deeply to interest Berkshire county and in fact all the region for many miles about Albany and the entire Hudson river region as well.

The importance of ship canals has long been fixed in the minds of the people of Europe and the wisdom of it has been proved by the uses to which the ship canal from the sea to Manchester in England has been put; also in Germany the development of that inland country was immeasurably helped commercially before the war, to say nothing of what they have done in protecting the German navy from the fleets of the allies since the war began. In Canada, too, the policy of the development of inland waterways has been featured much to the benefit of the country as we of the United States are well aware. France, Holland and Belgium have also made progress in this same line of commercial endeavor and in none of the countries herebefore mentioned has there ever been a doubt as to the wisdom of the money spent for these things.

Eventually this country will have a continuous deep water way large enough for great ships all the way from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes, thence through the lakes to Buffalo and across New York to the Hudson river on to the Atlantic ocean and the effort of Albany to secure a deep channel from their city to New York is only a part of this mighty position. Albany is only taking the

first step. The next generation will see a complete ship canal from the gulf of New York harbor. The Albanians who are pushing the project are the pioneers and may they be successful in convincing congress that the time is ripe to make a beginning.—Pittsfield Eagle.

#### Rid Your Child of Worms.

Thousands of children have worms that sap their vitality and make them listless and irritable. Kickapoo Worm Killer kills and removes the worms and has a tonic effect on the system. Does your child eat spasmodically? Cry out in sleep or grind its teeth? These are symptoms of worms and you should find relief for them at once. Kickapoo Worm Killer is a pleasant remedy. At your Druggist, 25c.

#### Members of Automobile Club of Vermont Attention.

Will you please take the trouble to call to the attention of the State's Attorney of your county or the Selectmen of your town any cases you may know of in your vicinity where proper guide posts or guard railings are not erected as provided in Sections 253 and 354 of the Public Statutes.

If each club member will try and secure the co-operation of their local officials, much can be accomplished for the benefit of the tourists from outside the state and the motorists within the state.

See what you can do to better these conditions in your locality.  
Auto Club of Vermont.  
Lester H. Greene, Sec.  
Montpelier, Vt.

#### THE VERMONT COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Vermont Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Bennington, in the County of Bennington, on the 19th day of September 1916, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:

1. To elect not less than nine directors and two inspectors of election for the year ensuing.
2. To elect any other officers required by law or by the by-laws.
3. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Bennington, Vermont, this 5th day of September, 1916.  
Robert E. Healy, Clerk.

#### NOTICE:

To the Tax Payers of the Town of Bennington:

A Rate Bill of the Town Taxes of 1916 has been placed in my hands for collection as follows: 80 cents on the dollar for the Town Tax, 20 cents on the dollar for the Town Highway Tax, 45 cents on the dollar for the Town District School Tax.

I hereby demand payment of said taxes, and notify you that I will attend at the Bennington County Savings Bank from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m.

There will be a discount of 4 per cent on Town tax if paid within 90 days.

C. H. Dawey, Treasurer.  
Bennington Vt., July 15, 1916.

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FRANK E. HOWE, Editor and Pub

Saturday, Sept. 16, 1916.

No one has yet arisen to remark that the primary result almost vindiicated the Lyndon Union's straw vote.

Senator Page has one most loyal supporter of whom he probably never even heard. On primary day a traveling man crossing the mountain pass between Bennington and Brattleboro overtook a citizen of one of the mountain towns and gave him a ride. In the course of their conversation it came out that the man had started to walk five miles to the polling place to vote. Asked in a joking way if he wasn't taking a good deal of trouble to cast his vote the mountaineer replied "They can talk all they want about this man Hughes. He may be all right, but I don't intend to vote for him—I'm going down to vote for Page."

In the town of Guilford at the recent primary there were two candidates for the Republican nomination for town representative and each received the same number of votes so there was no nomination. According to the Brattleboro Reformer the Guilford Republicans think that this tie vote knocks them out of having a candidate for representative at the November election but in this they are mistaken. The primary law gives them the right to hold a caucus to make the nomination under Section 28 of the law. The caucus must be held at least fifteen days before the election, the nomination must be by ballot and the box must remain open not less than two hours. Had the tie occurred in the voting for a candidate on the state or county ticket it would be the duty of the state or county committee to fill the vacancy so arising.

The nomination of Roger W. Hubbard of Hyde Park for Lieutenant governor over John E. Weeks of Middlebury is a surprise to many people but the explanation of the matter is reasonably clear. Mr. Hubbard for many years has been known as one of the best public speakers in the state and at state conventions and other places thousands of voters have had the opportunity to hear him and have gone away pleased and impressed. He has never before been a candidate for a state office and this was the first time that the people have had a chance to show their liking for him. At the same time Mr. Weeks would have won in spite of Mr. Hubbard's popularity had Addison county backed up its own candidate as it should. The county gave Judge Weeks a large majority but over eight hundred votes were cast there for his opponent and this was enough to change the result. Judge Weeks is perhaps the leading citizen of Addison county and has a splendid record of honest, faithful and efficient service. Just why eight hundred citizens of the county should vote against him is not clear. Addison county complains that it never gets anything on the state ticket. In this case Addison county seems to be largely responsible for being left out.

#### A contract for dividends.

Many investments give dividends which contract. Life annuities carry fixed and definite rates of interest. No reduction, no default. A contract for dividends. National Life Ins. Co., of Vt. (Mutual) Earle S. Kinsley, General Agent, Mead Building, Rutland, Vermont. Adv.

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Lucas County, I ss.  
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#### Guy Bailey's Publicity.

A letter from Marshal D. Smith of Ardmore to the editor inclosing clipping from one of their local papers, shows how far reaching this publicity is. As is well known Mr. Smith was a former resident of Northfield, and is well and favorably known all over the state. Winding up half a column about the number of books gotten out by Mr. Bailey is this significant paragraph:—

"Several Ardmore citizens spent the summer in Vermont, and already they are boosters for the state. Many more will be there from this vicinity another year, and some are even contemplating purchasing summer homes near one of the many lakes that completely dot the Green Mountain state."—Northfield News.

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